GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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FLOOD CONTROL IN ASSAM
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the allocation made and sanctioned for flood control in Assam during the Ninth Five Year Plan indicating the details of the schemes approved for the State; and

(b) the progress made in implementation of the schemes and the expenditure incurred thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) & (b) Flood Management being a Statesubject, the flood control schemes are planned, funded and executed by the State Government themselves out of their own resources and as per their own priorities. The assistance rendered by Central Government are technical, catalytical and promotional in nature.

As per the information received from the State Government of Assam, during the Ninth Five Year Plan the approved allocation to Assam was Rs. 78.8962 crore in the Central Plan and the status of the schemes approved, progress of implementation and the expenditure incurred thereon is given as under:

i. Total number of approved schemes (Nos.) 153
ii. Schemes physically completed (Nos.) 53
iii. Schemes in advanced stage of completion (Nos.) 62
iv. Schemes in progress (Nos.) 38
v. Expenditure incurred (Rs. In crore) 78.8962